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In re Application of Biswas et al. Application No. 09/870,301 Filed: May 30, 2001 Attorney Docket No. A-017

Decision on Petition

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 15, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to submit the issue fee and publication fee in a timely manner in reply to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 14, 2005, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned as of midnight on June 14, 2005.

The instant petition requests revival of the application. Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Therefore, the petition is granted and the application is revived.

The Office of Publications will be notified the application has been revived so that it may take steps to process the application into a patent.

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